

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: <b>Castado, et al.</b>	Docket No: <b>BM45202 (306548)</b>
Serial No.: <b>10-500,530</b>	Confirmation No.: <b>7712</b>
Filed: <b>February 16, 2005 (§371)</b>	Group Art Unit: <b>1633</b>
For: <b>NOVEL COMPOUNDS</b>	Examiner: <b>Leavitt, M.</b>

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR §1.136(a)**

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Sir :

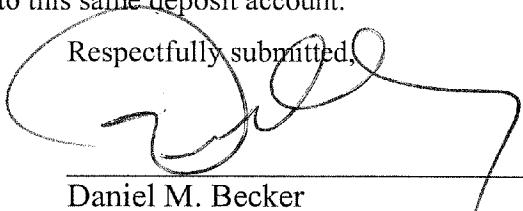
Pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR §1.136(a), Applicant requests an additional period of:

<input type="checkbox"/> One (1) month (37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1))	<input type="checkbox"/> \$120 large entity	<input type="checkbox"/> \$60 small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> Two (2) months (37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2))	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450 large entity	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225 small entity
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three (3) months (37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3))	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1,020 large entity	<input type="checkbox"/> \$510 small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> Four (4) months (37 CFR § 1.17(a)(4))	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,590 large entity	<input type="checkbox"/> \$795 small entity
<input type="checkbox"/> Five (5) months (37 CFR § 1.17(a)(5))	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2,160 large entity	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1,080 small entity

to respond to the non-final Office Action mailed **April 6, 2006** in the above-captioned application, thereby extending the period for response to and including **October 6, 2006**. The Director is authorized to charge the required fee due under 37 CFR § 1.17(a) of **\$1,020** to Dechert LLP Deposit Account 50-2778 (**Order No. 153278-BM45292 (306548)**). The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be required, or credit any overpayment, to this same deposit account.

Date: October 6, 2006

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